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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Appln. of: Peter Ackeret

Appln. No.: 09/905,429

Filed: July 13, 2001

For: MULTIPURPOSE HAND-HELD
IMPLEMENT OF THE POCKET KNIFE
TYPE

Attorney Docket No: 8338-18

Examiner: J. Smith

Art Unit: 3723

Commissioner for Patents
P. O. Box 1450
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TRANSMITTAL

Sir:

Attached is/are:

- Transmittal Letter (1 page in duplicate), Petition and Fee for Extension of Time (2 pages in duplicate), Amendment (62 pages).
- Return Receipt Postcard

Fee calculation:

- No additional fee is required.
- Small Entity.
- An extension fee in an amount of \$55 for a 1-month extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a).
- A petition or processing fee in an amount of \$_____ under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(____).
- An additional filing fee has been calculated as shown below:

					Small Entity		Not a Small Entity		
	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest No. Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Rate	Add'l Fee	or	Rate	Add'l Fee
Total		Minus			x \$9=			x \$18=	
Indep.		Minus			x 43=			x \$86=	
First Presentation of Multiple Dep. Claim					+\$145=			+\$290=	
					Total	\$		Total	\$

Fee payment:

- A check in the amount of \$_____ to cover the above-identified fee(s) is enclosed.
- Please charge Deposit Account No. 23-1925 in the amount of \$55. A copy of this Transmittal is enclosed for this purpose.
- Payment by credit card in the amount of \$_____ (Form PTO-2038 is attached).
- The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional filing fees required under 37 CFR § 1.16 and any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR § 1.17 associated with this paper (including any extension fee required to ensure that this paper is timely filed), or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 23-1925.

Respectfully submitted

Date _____

5/19/04

~~Joseph F. Hetz (Reg. No. 41,070)~~